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For: Emission Control Valve Having Improved Force-Balance and Anti-Coking

This application includes:

14 page specification, 4 pages of claims and 1 page of abstract
1 title page
3 sheets of drawings, X formal/___ informal containing Figures 1-12
___ photographs (design patent application only)

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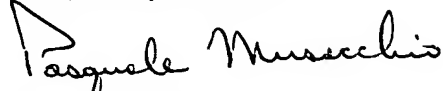
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